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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE

Following mailing of a Notice of Allowance on July 25, 2005, Applicant requests entry of the following amendments to correct paragraph [0001] of the specification.

Although Applicant believes there are no fees due in connection with this amendment, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/WEAT/0039.C1/JCH for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

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